

YPSILANTI IN RUINS.

Michigan Town Suffers \$200,000 Loss by the Tornado.

Terrible Death Roll Reported from Missouri Villages.

Fast Express Derailed by Wrecked Cars at Port Huron, Mich.

YPSILANTI, Mich., April 13.—This city is in ruins. A cyclone struck here last night, coming from the southwest and sweeping everything in its path. The storm took a trip through the business portion of the town, moving scores of houses from their foundations and razing others.

Cleary business, college, and Curtis's carriage factory are in ruins, the Hawkins House and Occidental Hotel are badly damaged, and the roofs of half the stores were blown off.

Twenty-five stores fronts were also smashed.

The post-office building was demolished and the mail scattered into the street.

All telegraph, telephone, and electric-light wires went down, leaving the city in complete darkness.

Everybody is watching property that has been exposed to the storm.

No bodies have been found, although it is thought that some were killed and a few fatally injured.

The loss of property it is estimated now will reach over \$200,000. The streets are torn up and the telegraph wires are down.

PORT HURON, Mich., April 13.—The cyclone struck Chesterfield, a village on the Grand Trunk Railroad, about forty-five miles west of here, last night. The tracks, which were standing on a sun track were blown square across the main track just a few minutes ahead of the Toronto express, due in at 8:45 A. M. The train was derailed and scattered along the Chesterfield road at a terrific rate of speed.

The engineers on the express, as well as the passengers, were unharmed, but before the car had skidded speed he had run his train into the ditch, and the three coaches were piled upon each other. The engine was thrown into the ditch, scattering the train.

LATER.—A report has just reached here that the town of Saline, in Washtenaw County, nine miles south of here, was wiped out by a cyclone.

Saline is on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad, and has a population of 1,200 or 1,400.

DETROIT, Mich., April 13.—A high wind, almost a hurricane, struck the city at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, blowing down several trees in Capitol Park, and scattering a number of them.

Those killed outright were Mr. Mary Lake, Mrs. Anna McKinley, Mrs. A. H. Kelley, Mr. Walker, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. John Breuer, and Mr. Breuer.

Mrs. John Breuer is reported killed, but no definite information can be obtained.

The fatally injured are Mrs. William Walker, Mrs. Lydia Stanford (colored) and Mrs. William Williams. Physicians were summoned from the city and Detroit, and Dover to care for the wounded.

ST. PAUL, April 13.—The storm was general over South Dakota. At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the wind was so fierce that windows and celars were flooded. The Jim river is out of its banks and all the bridges near Mitchell are gone. Communication with surrounding towns is wholly cut off.

Watertown reports a bad hall storm, with high wind and heavy rain. In Sioux Falls and Yankton, trees and posts were broken, and wind and low thermometer prevailed.

The Sioux river is a mile wide west of Sioux Falls.

A special report from Elkhorn says that seeding, which is almost one-third done, has been paralyzed by one of the worst blizzards ever seen here, following the rain which fell all day yesterday. The blizzard began at 10 P. M. last night and has kept it up incessantly ever since, and there is very reason to believe it will continue. The blizzards, which have been frequent, are still severe, and great suffering will undoubtedly follow.

ST. PAUL, April 13.—Through two cities and a state have passed since the cyclone took its way through Missouri from southwest to northwest the reports of damage and loss of life are most凄惨. The cyclone has suffered most and comparatively small and nearly all located in the northwestern part of the State on a strip lying to the southeast of the Mississippi.

The list of dead follows, as corrected and verified to the best possible extent:

At Hawkins, Mich.—Mrs. Walker, Mrs. James Wilson, Mrs. William Asper, John D. Day, John D. Hill, and an unknown three-month-old infant.

At Lexington—Mr. Anna Walker, Mrs. John Luke and brother, Ferris Walker, an unknown negro boy.

At St. Paul—Mrs. Ward and two unnamed women.

At Steelyville, Mo.—Charles Adair, D. M. Green and unknown.

Many more are fatally injured.

At Hawley, Minn.—The scene was most horrible. About fifty citizens from Salem, including men, women, and children, were laid in the mud and water, their clothes torn to shreds. The word reached here of the disaster, and many of them are there still, as they are needed to nurse the wounded and care for the dead.

When relief reached there not a soul in the place had a morsel to eat for twenty-four hours.

HAT SIZERS GO OUT ON STRIKE.

They Want More Money, but Do Not Say How Much.

NEWARK, N. J., April 13.—Eighty employees of Samuel T. Hartman, a hat sizer, are on strike.

They left the factories, 215 Prince street and 88 Somerset street, without giving any warning, and they will not state why they were compelled to do so.

They are all Russians and make from \$6 to \$12 a week.

Only one of them speaks English fairly well. He says they want more money, but does not name a sum.

CASING TROUBLES CONTINUE.

Now Proxies to Overthrow the Arsonists Are Asked.

Prize blanks have been sent to the stockholders of the casinoty the Executive Committee, which is composed of E. H. Blair, H. B. McDowell, C. E. Stanton and J. Louis Schaefer, with James E. Lewis as chairman, such proxies to be used at the next election.

Dissatisfaction with the manner in which President Hughlin Aronson and Treasurer Albert Aronson are conducting the affairs of the Casino has led the stockholders to appoint the stockholders to appoint the committee.

A report concerning the present management has been presented.

IN HONOR OF THOMAS JEFFERSON

The Flags Flying from the City Hall To-Day.

Flags of the nation, state and city were flying to-day from the City Hall in honor of the birthday anniversary of Thomas Jefferson.

Twenty-eight states, delegations, and other Delegations organizations, and patriotic Jeffersonians, will celebrate the occasion by speachmaking and banquets.

Lillian Horne is Wanted.

NEWARK, N. J., April 13.—Superintendent W. J. Smith, of the Children's Aid Society, is looking for Lillian Horne, a five-year-old foundling, who was born in Newark, N. J., issued by George Horne and his wife. Her friends and the child are anxious to have her in their care.

MAY BE A RAID AT ELIZABETH.

Peter De Lacey After the New Jersey Jockey Club.

Warrants for Bookmakers to Be Placed in the Sheriff's Hands.

The New Jersey Jockey Club throws open its gates at Elizabeth today with the expectation of being able to hold a twenty-days' meeting without interruption. Whether this view of things will be realized is a matter of doubt.

The recent passage of laws legalizing gambling on races would seem to make the New Jersey Jockey Club's position very secure, but it is said that Peter De Lacey, president and the most implacable enemy Mike Dwyer ever had, has succeeded in recruiting another of New Jersey's lawmen, and will raid the bookmakers who do business at the Elizabeth track to-day.

De Lacey had a long conference yesterday with H. V. Lindalbury, counsel for the Citizens' League, which is waging bitter war against the race tracks and with James Stein, who is De Lacey's private counsel and was his confidential adviser in the war which De Lacey carried on against New Jersey race tracks two years ago.

What the result of the conference was is not known, but it is said that De Lacey feels satisfied that he can stop racing at Elizabeth and is going to try it.

It is understood that warrants will be issued and placed in the hands of the sheriff, who must execute them. The men arrested must be taken before Justice Alfred Steele's place, Justice Steele's announcement that he will be a candidate for nomination. He has not yet made the nomination, but it is expected that he will do so.

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